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1. A train carrying 50 tanks and an undetermined number of motor vehicles ████████████████████████████ stood 25X1C in Bad Freienwalde (N 53/V 28) on 18 April 1951, with its engine headed toward Eberswalde. Eight SP guns were on the loading ramp. (1)

2. Two hundred large and 150 small ammunition carriers stood ready for loading on the military ramp in Frankfurt/Oder on 19 April 1951.
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3. Motor vehicles ████████████████████████ were seen hauling billeting equipment from the Hindenburg Kaserne in Frankfurt/Oder to Lieberose (N 52/A 49) on 19 April. Eight tanks were loaded at the Frankfurt/Oder marshaling yard during the night of 21 April. Truck 25X1C ██████ was seen hauling billeting equipment to the Frankfurt/Oder loading ramp on 22 April.

4. Eleven tanks were loaded in Fuerstenwalde (N 53/V 33) on 23 April. Ammunition was piled up on the loading ramp. (2)

5. Fifteen tanks were loaded at the Oranienburg railroad station on 21 April. Local residents said that troops had departed from the SS Kaserne during the week prior to 21 April. Source observed that three of the barracks gates were locked. Several barracks buildings seemed to have been abandoned. (3)

6. Fifteen T-34 tanks, 8 half-track vehicles, and 2 armored passenger cars
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████████████████████ were not loaded. Fifteen JS tanks from the Artillerie Kaserne were loaded during the day on 16 April and 13 JS-3 tanks from the same installation were loaded that evening. Four trucks 25X1C ██████████████████████ hauled ammunition boxes to the railroad station coming from the dump in the woods at Britz. A convoy of

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25X1A (2) The loading operations were linked with the movement of units of the 7th
Gds Mecz Div to Lieberose from Frankfurt/Oder and Fuerstenwalde. See

(3) The troops probably went to Templin, together with other elements of the
25th Tank Div from Oranienburg and Prenzlau.   25X1A

(4) The troops were elements of the 6th Gds Mecz Div and AT artillery units
25X1A   of the Fourth Gds Mecz Army departing from the Eberswalde area for Templin.

(5)   a tank component of the 18th Mecz Div
was loaded.   25X1C

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